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THE state of the book trade is now about this: either discounts must be reorganized so as to preserve retail prices, or retail prices must go by the board, and underselling be acknowledged as the trade method—which means the demoralization of the retailers pretty nearly out of existence. We have two notable examples of "cutting under" before us this week. The one is the so-called "clearance catalogue" of a well-known Broadway house, which we had thought sufficiently awake to the interests of the trade not to attempt underselling. The other, the "bargain catalogue" of books for sale by "the —— club," Chicago. Now, clearance catalogues, like clearance auction sales, are perfectly legitimate, but this first named list is not a clearance catalogue at all. Fresh, salable books are quite as well represented as dead stock, such as the moment they were "cleared off" would be reordered at once from the publishers. The house does not advertise its own issues for sale below price, but what is to be expected in such a case? Either for retaliation or in competition, other houses will undersell its books, and nothing can be said against it.

The Chicago "club" prints a representative catalogue in a monthly before us, and gives a full list of American publishers by name, classing them according to the amount of discount the "club" can give on their books—respectively a third, thirty, twenty-five. We trust the publishers who are thus posted will be pleased at the prominence given them. Too many have brought it upon themselves, but all suffer together.

Which of the alternatives will the publishers choose?

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The interests of the trade cannot be better served than by a full discussion by its members of all questions which affect it. Our columns are always open to communications on any such subject, provided they be brief and suggestive, and we cordially invite the trade to express any suggestions or opinions of interest or value in "Letters to the Editor."

The Classification of Scientific Books.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2, 1874.

To the Editor of the Publishers' Weekly.

EVERY publisher or extensive dealer in scientific books classifies them according to his own ideas, or does not classify them at all. So also

with regard to every one who makes a catalogue of them.

Now it seems to me that but one square thought is necessary to see that there would be a decided advantage to all having anything to do with scientific books, from the publisher to the consumer, including librarians, and especially dealers and their clerks, to have the best classification made that can be, and then adopted by all who publish or catalogue scientific books.

If the main divisions of the classification were numbered, and the sub-divisions lettered, and then when a book is announced and each time it is advertised in a trade journal give the number and letter of the classification, it would be a great saving of time to the dealers; and time is money, and the greater ease with which a business can be done the more business will naturally be done in it. Very few of those who sell scientific books know anything of science, and many a sale is lost on account of the want of information of the salesman.

The following is a classification that we have been working under for several years, both cataloguing and arranging our stock according to it, and we have found it to work very satisfactorily; but the difficulty with us is that no other classification is the same as ours:

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2. Engraving, Decorative Art, and Alphabets.
3. Painting and Sculpture.
4. Heraldry.
5. Photography.

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1. Chemistry.
2. Blow-pipe.
3. Electricity, Magnetism, Heat, and Light.
4. The Telegraph.
5. Electro-Metallurgy.

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1. Natural Philosophy.
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3. The Steam Engine.

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1. Geography. Atlases, Maps, etc.
2. Explorations and Researches.
3. Physical Geography.
4. Meteorology and Climatology.

XII. NATURAL HISTORY OF THE ANIMAL KINGDOM.

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2. Ethnology (Man).
3. Ornithology (Birds).
4. Ichthyology (Fishes).
5. Entomology (Insects).
6. Conchology (Shells).
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8. Microscopy.

XIII. THE VEGETABLE KINGDOM.

1. Botany, General.
2. Flowers and Floriculture.
3. Cryptogamia—Ferns, Mosses, and Sea Plants.

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8. Horse and Dog.

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1. Cookery and Domestic Economy.
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XVII. CYCLOPEDIAS AND DICTIONARIES.

XVIII. GENERAL AND POPULAR SCIENCE.

XIX. MISCELLANEOUS WORKS.

I would suggest that the principal publishers and dealers in scientific books, and any others who may be especially interested or capable, consult together and adopt a classification which can be permanent. Let each one of them thereafter use that classification in their lists and catalogues, and the trade journals do the same, and all of the dealers in the country will be glad to do so, and the result will be that even those who have very little to do with scientific books can make themselves familiar with the business and will be enabled to do more in it.

Very truly,

A. L. BANCROFT.

Underselling Data.

MISS., March 25, 1874.

To the Editor of the Publishers' Weekly.

WE read with interest your editorials and communications upon the subject of selling by publishers at wholesale prices to persons not in the book-trade, and to schools, at such prices as the local bookseller cannot afford to give.

A customer asked us the price of a set of books which we had in store, and we replied \$50 (the publisher's price). He stated very significantly, "Oh, I can send on and get them for \$30 or \$40." We replied, "Write and get the publisher's price to you, and we will sell you the books at that price, be it \$25 or \$50." We saw the letter in which the publisher offered the books at \$40—one-fifth off. We could have gotten from the publisher only three-tenths on that particular book. It was an encyclopædia.

A teacher wrote an order for school books, and stated that he could get one-fourth from the publishers. We declined to sell at that price.

The retail trade are now selling at a wholesale

price to teachers, but they will discontinue that as soon as the publishers do so. We are glad to see the movement among the publishers on this subject. Our opinion is that there should not be a wholesale or reduced price to teachers.

As soon as the publishers stop the teachers' discounts, we expect to sign and get signed an agreement, by every bookseller within a reasonable distance, not to sell to teachers except at the retail price. We offer this as a suggestion to other booksellers.

A. & B.

CORRESPONDENCE.

FROM PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, March 30.—A curious and important question in insurance law, of special interest to all publishers, has just arisen here. A short time ago a fire occurred in the bindery of Wm. Rutter & Co., where were stored considerable quantities of sheet stock belonging to different publishing houses. Much of this stock was damaged by water, including the sheet stock of a work published by Stoddart & Co. This stock was insured for its value as paper and print, at the rate of 32 cents per copy, the publication price of the book being \$2.50. The sheets were sufficiently damaged to make them unsalable as new books, but were still readable. The insurance company offered to pay the full amount of the policy, but claimed the sheets, which they proposed to put into cheap cloth binding, and sell for whatever was offered for them. To this the publisher naturally objected, because by putting a large number of copies of the book on the market at a greatly reduced price, the regular sale of the book would be quite ruined. The insurance company had a clear title to the sheets, provided they were mutilated and sold as waste paper; but it is equally clear that they had no right to interfere with the business of the insured, by flooding the market with inferior and damaged copies of the book, at a price far below that fixed by him. The value of a book is separate and distinct from its worth as so many ounces of paper and straw board. The insurance company, by selling the sheets in question for anything more than their value as pounds of waste paper, would be using without permission the ideas of the author and the business skill of the publisher, on which he has risked his trading capital, whereby the value known as the "publication price" has been created. This view of the case has been taken until now by every insurance company in adjusting losses with publishers. The case of Stoddart & Co. still remains unsettled, but if it should go into court it is safe to predict that the ruling will be against the insurance company.

The Pennsylvania Legislature has taken upon itself to dabble with the school books used in the public schools, and a bill to provide for uniform school books throughout the State has been introduced in the Senate. It provides that a board consisting of the State Superintendent and three citizens shall examine all school books, and pick out a complete series in all grades, including all branches of study. Those selected shall be used in the public schools for five years, beginning from September, 1875. The board is to ascertain from the publishers on what terms they will supply the books selected, and also the terms on which the copyrights may be acquired by the State. If the board fails to agree on any particu-

lar book necessary to complete the series, the members are to supply the deficiency themselves by preparing a new book. This summary includes all the essential points in the bill. The constant changing of the text books in the public schools, before the children have had time to go half through them, is a very serious evil, and one which the advocates of the bill think this measure will cure. It, however, paves the way for quite as many evils as it professes to remedy. What assurance is there that the three citizens who are to be members of the board will know anything more about educational matters than the men of straw who now act as school directors? To become a school director is recognized as the first step in the ladder of political success, and in Philadelphia the office is in nearly every case filled by some mere ward politician. There are doubtless many worthless books now used in the public schools, but under the proposed law it would be possible to enforce the uniform use of a series of worthless books for a period of five years, without the possibility of a change during the prescribed time.

The indications are that we are not going to have a very brilliant spring trade. The jobbing houses are doing enough to keep their packing departments tolerably busy, but the orders are light. Forster's third volume of the *Life of Charles Dickens* has sold very satisfactorily. Ouida's story, "*Bébé*," has also been very successful, and Proctor's "*Borderland of Science*" has been a very profitable venture. J. B. Lippincott & Co. are just on the point of issuing "*Memoirs of John Quincy Adams*," by Charles Francis Adams, vol. 1; "*Plato*," by Clifton W. Collins, forming one of the "*Ancient Classics for English Readers*;" and the first volume of Prescott's *Peru*, edited by John Foster Kirke. The same firm have the following books nearly ready: "*The Heir of Malreward*," by the author of "*Son and Heir*;" "*Ligation of Arteries*," by L. H. Farabeuf; "*As It Should Be*," by "Alex"; "*The Life of Benjamin Franklin*," edited by Hon. John Bigelow, 3 vols., crown 8vo.; Lieber's "*Civil Liberty*," revised by Dr. Theodore D. Woolsey; "*The Villages of the Bible*," by Rev. E. Paxton Hood; "*The Four Civilizations of the World*," by Henry Wikoff; "*The Universe and the Coming Transits*," by Professor Proctor; and "*The Concordance to Shakespeare's Poems*," by Mrs. Horace Howard Furness, the wife of the author of the *Variorum Shakespeare*.

Porter & Coates have several novels in active preparation, as follows: "*No Alternative*," by Mrs. Pender Cudlip, better known as Annie Thomas, a brilliant and sparkling writer, whose novels have hitherto been very successful; "*The Vicissitudes of Bessie Fairfax*," by Miss Harriet Parr, whose *nom de plume* of Holm Lee is very well known; and a novel translated from the German of Carl Detlef, the title of which has not yet been decided upon. The author is known in this country by his "*Might it Be*," and other works of fiction. The new book was published in Germany under the title of "*Between Father and Son*," but as this title was very much like that of another book still selling, the publishers have decided to change it.

As might be expected, the great prophet of temperance could not allow the women's crusade to pass unnoticed. It was too important an event in the annals of the cause to be permitted to subside without being turned to account. Accordingly, a tale from the pen of T. S. Arthur is an-

nounced, entitled "*Woman to the Rescue: a Tale of the Crusade*." It will be illustrated, and sold by subscription; price \$1.25. Stoddart & Co. are the publishers. Another work founded on current events is "*The History of the Grange Movement*," just published by the National Publishing Company. This company has recently added a printing office to its establishment. It already had a bindery, and now manufactures its books completely.

T. B. Peterson & Bros. have just ready for publication Mrs. E. D. E. N. Southworth's "*Victor's Triumph*." It forms a "sequel" to "*A Beautiful Fiend*," and with those who admire sensational writing it will be a favorite. The cheap re-issue of Mrs. Newby's novels, lately published by this firm, I understand to have sold very largely.

J. V. W.

BOOKS RECEIVED.

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LITERARY AND TRADE NEWS.

THE *Bookseller* speaks of the two series of religious publications that were competing in London 30 years ago—those of the Parker Society and the Library of Anglo-Catholic Theology. The former had 7,000 or more subscribers, and included Cranmer, Latimer, Jewell, etc., but the later volumes were less important, and sets may now be had cheaply, uncut. The other having less than 2,000 subscribers, including the young Oxford school, issued Andrew's, Laud's, and others' works; of this sets are scarce, and the Messrs. Parker accordingly announce a reissue, six volumes a year for one guinea (half the old price), commencing with two volumes each of Bishops Andrew's, Wilson's, and Cosin's sermons.

"A HISTORY of Dutch Literature" has been written by a Mr. M. W. Everts—who takes rather a new view of the merits and demerits of Dutch authors—and is already passing through a second edition.

"OUR Sketching Club," St. John Tyrwhitt's new book, now issuing serially in *Old and New*, is to include, by Mr. Ruskin's commission, the important parts and the wood-cuts of the latter's "Elements of Drawing," which he refuses to reprint. It will be published by Macmillan & Co.

A NEW work is announced by the author of "The Romance of Peasant Life." Mr. F. G. Heath, entitled "The English Peasantry." It treats of the social and political life of the English rural classes, and is to include quite a full account of Canon Girdleston's work of emigration.

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GENERAL CUSTER's "Life on the Plains" will not appear till fall.

A NEW historical tragedy by Mr. George H. Calvert, an able scholar, "The Maid of Orleans," will be published by the Putnams. It has heretofore been in print for private circulation only.

MISS GILBERT has been successful in her efforts to collect a library for the inmates of the Tombs, and now announces its completion. It is to be situated in the Council Room, and will be dedicated the 5th of this month, when there will be music and addresses appropriate to the occasion. The Commissioners of Charities and Corrections furnished the book-case, and many of the publishers in the city liberally contributed books, Appleton, giving one hundred volumes; Harper, one hundred volumes; Blakeman, one hundred volumes; Scribner, one hundred volumes; Dodd & Mead, fifty volumes; Randolph, twenty-five volumes; Carleton, twenty-five volumes; United States Publishing Company, twenty volumes; H. S. Goodspeed, twenty volumes. H. B. Claflin gave six pieces of cloth for covering the books. Cash paid for books, pictures, stationery, expressage, printing, covering of books, etc., etc., \$513.

DESERTING their old stand in Washington street, opposite the South Church, Messrs. Lee & Shepard have lately moved into the new building on the corner of Franklin and Hawley streets, of which they occupy the ground floor and basement. The building being on the southern side of Franklin street, the sun finds entrance both in front and on the side, thus giving that light and cheerful aspect so pleasing in a bookstore. The entire side of the store is utilized for shelving purposes, by running a gallery along the wall, to which access is given by a light and graceful staircase finished in ornamental work. The books are arranged on these shelves, according to subjects and quantities, there being room, should it be needed, for 500,000 volumes. On the Hawley

street side is the mailing department, where also all orders for country libraries are filled, and back of this the counting rooms for Mr. A. C. Stockin, the New England agent of Messrs. Harper & Bros., are situated. The rear of the store is devoted to the counting rooms of the firm, each member having a separate one, designated by a silver plate on the door. The woodwork of the store is western oak and whitewood, the bookkeeper's desk being made of mahogany. The building is heated by steam, which, being conveyed to the bindery, gives power to a stationary engine, and thus the danger of communicating fire from one story to another by means of belting is avoided. In the basement are stored pipes, with hose attached, to be ready should there be fire. Access to the upper stories is gained by means of an elevator, which is run by a sixty-horse-power engine stationed in the basement.

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The Book Trade Sale.

THE regular semi-annual book trade sale opened Tuesday morning, March 24, at Clinton Hall. The sale occupied just one week, and was for the most part animated and lively, bringing something above average prices—occasionally running quite high—and commanding a very fair attendance. The invoice of Messrs. D. Appleton & Co. stood first in the catalogue, and, with the blank-book work of Messrs. J. G. Shaw & Co., occupied the first day, which was notable for the high prices realized. Hawks' "Biographical Cyclopædia" (sheep, \$6) brought \$3.70 and \$3.37. Benton's "Thirty Years' View" (\$6) first sold at \$3.60, afterwards at \$1.90. Blot's "Cookery" brought \$1.10 (\$1.75). Buckle's "History of Civilization," a \$6 book (line of 25), was taken at \$3.50. Guizot's "Civilization" sold for \$1 (retail \$1.50). Macaulay complete brought \$2.25 a vol. (\$4). Mill's "Political Economy" brought \$1.80 (\$3). Herbert Spencer brought \$1.30 a volume (retail \$2.50). Among the lower prices realized were Alex. Stephens' "Reviewers Reviewed," a \$1.50 book, selling for 22 1-2 c. Wilson's "Recovery of Jerusalem" (retail \$3.50) at \$1 50. Proctor's "Other Worlds than Ours" at \$1 (\$2.50), etc. The blank-book work did very well, bringing quite fair prices.

The good prices realized Tuesday continued Wednesday, though perhaps there were none so exceptionally high. The consignments of Messrs. Estes & Lauriat, Little, Brown & Co., W. J. Widdleton, Lee & Shepard, and others, were the ones offered, and secured a good attendance and an animated sale. Lord Campbell's "Chief Justices of England" (retail \$3.50) fell at \$2. Phillips' "Famous Cases of Circumstantial Evidence" (retail \$2.25) sold at \$1.25. Disraeli

complete (retail \$1.67) brought 95 c. per vol. Lamb complete (retail \$1.80) was taken at \$1.05 per vol., and Burton's "Anatomy of Melancholy" (retail \$1.75) was knocked down at \$1. Oliver Optic's popularity was manifested in the readiness with which his works, in lines of 25, were eagerly taken at 87 1-2 c. and 90 c. (retail \$1.50). Lee & Shepard's "Household Series of Standard Works" were taken at 90 c. (retail \$1 50); their edition of Taylor's "Holy Living and Dying" (a \$1.12 1-2 book) bringing 75 c.

Without attempting to follow the sale day by day, we will quote some of the characteristic prices obtained during the remaining four days. Of the importations of Scribner, Welford & Armstrong, Jacquemart's "History of the Ceramic Art" obtained \$11.80 on a retail basis of \$18. Armytage's "Collection of Pictures of British Artists" sold for \$5.50 (retail \$10.50). Niebuhr's "Rome" sold for \$2.10 (retail \$3.75). Buckle's posthumous works brought \$4.50, it being a \$7.50 book. In contrast to these, Solly's "Life of David Cox" only obtained \$4 (retail \$18). Eastlake's "Gothic Revival," \$3.50 (retail \$13.50). Jerrold's "Caudle's Curtain Lectures," 40 c. (retail 1.50). Maurice's "Moral Philosophy," \$2.62 (retail \$6.75). Their "Chandos Library" sold for 75 c. a volume, the retail price being \$1.75. Of the books offered by Mr. A. English, of London, Sheridan's "Dramatic Works" brought \$1.55 on a retail basis of \$3.75. Taine's "English Literature," \$4.25 (retail \$10). The "Percy Anecdotes," \$1.50 (retail \$4). "Speeches of Lord Erskine," \$1.60 (retail \$3.50). Hayden's "Dictionary of the Bible," \$3 (retail \$9). Van Noststrand's scientific works averaged about fifty per cent. of the retail prices, quite a number bringing sixty, while others fell down to twenty-five and thirty; Dodd & Mead's invoice averaged something under fifty, though it secured a quick sale, and in many instances was duplicated.

First on the catalogue of Scribner, Armstrong & Co. (the American house) stood a line of 50 of Verne's "From the Earth to the Moon," which fell at \$1.75, the retail rate being \$3. A line of 50 of Marion Harland's "Common Sense in the Household" was taken at \$1.05 (retail \$1.75). Woolsey's "Religion of the Present and the Future" (a \$2 book) sold for 75 c. Lines of 25 and 50 of Dr. Holland's works brought on the average fifty per cent. of the retail prices, with the notable exception of "Arthur Bonnicastle," which was "jumped for" at \$1.05 (retail \$1.75). "Ik Marvel's" (D. G. Mitchell's) works fell at 75 c. and 95 c. (retail \$1.75). De Vere's "Studies in English" was taken at \$1.15 (retailed at \$2.50).

Friday was remarkable for containing both Osgood's and Roberts Brothers' consignments. Among the first on the former's list was Lytton's recent "Fables in Song," which brought \$1.10 (retail \$2). Some heliotype portfolios offered by them sold fairly at from 25 to 50 per cent. of catalogued prices. Howells' "Chance Acquaintance" sold for \$1 15 (retail \$2). Landor's "Cameos," for 80 c. (retail \$2). Trowbridge's "Doing His Best," for 80 c. (retail \$1.50). Miss Phelps' "Trotty's Wedding Tour," the same. Stedman's "Poems," for \$1.45 (retail \$2.50). Longfellow's "Aftermath," for 85 c. (retail \$1.50). Reade's "Simpleton," for 50 c. (\$1). Aldrich's "Marjory Daw," for 45 c. (\$1.50). Higginson's "Oldport Days," for \$1.35 (\$2.50). Stoddard's "South Sea Idyls," for 65 c. (\$1.50). Their library of novels brought 40 c. each, the retail price being 75 c. Mrs. Whitney's "Other Girls"

sold for \$1.20 (line of 100), retailed at \$2. Agassiz's "Journey in Brazil" was taken at \$2.65 (retail \$5).

On the Roberts' list, Miss Alcott's writings sold for 85 c. and 65 c. a vol., the retail price being \$1.50. Hamerton's "Intellectual Life" and "Thoughts about Art," both \$2 books, fell at \$1.15. Louise Chandler Moulton's "Bed-Time Stories" (line of 50) was taken at 85 c., retailed at \$1.50. Mrs. Somerville's "Recollections" sold for \$1.50 (retail \$2.50).

On Saturday, Messrs. Leavitt & Allen's books were offered. "Pilgrim's Progress" was taken at 22 1-2 c. (retail 75 c.). Mrs. Jameson's "Shakespeare's Characters," at \$2.12 1-2 (retail \$4.50). Tupper's "Proverbial Philosophy," at 35 c. (retail \$1.25). "World" edition of Shakespeare (8 vols.), at 75 c. (retail \$1.50). Watson's "Poetical Quotations," at 80 c. (retail \$1.75), etc.

The albums and photographs were also sold the same day, bringing higher prices than usual, some of Faber's stereoscopic views, 6 c. each.

The sale closed on Monday, the 30th, with the invoices of the Catholic publishers, Mr. P. O'Shea and Messrs D. & J. Sadlier & Co. It being the last day of the sale the attendance fell off somewhat, as did also the prices. A few of these we give: L'Abbé's "History of the Catholic Church" brought \$1.30 and \$1.45 (retail \$3). Lingard's "History of England," 40 c. (retail \$1.50). Brownson's "American Republic," 85 c. and \$1.10 (retail \$3). Swift complete, 50 c. per vol. (retail \$2).

We have given, of course, the more notable, therefore the higher prices; there was, however, the usual considerable quantity of books disposed of at "way down" rates. The catalogue was not above average spring size, but some of the prices ran much nearer the trade rates than usual, in one or two instances reaching them.

THE LIBRARY CORNER.

MR. WALTER C. HOOD, of Marietta, Ohio, has been appointed by Governor Allen as State Librarian to fill the position of S. G. Harbaugh, whose term expired on March 23. Mr. Harbaugh has served as Librarian twelve years from March, 1862, receiving consecutive appointments of two years each from six Governors. His daughter, Miss Mary C. Harbaugh, is retained as assistant.

At the last annual count of the books in Harvard College Library, there were 140,000 volumes, nearly 100,000 pamphlets, and nearly 50,000 duplicate pamphlets.

THE *Bookseller* notes that "the first catalogue of publications in the English language was compiled in 1595 by Andrew Maunsell, a bookseller of ability and eminence, who lived in Lothbury toward the close of the sixteenth century." It gives also the curious title and dedications.

Every Saturday lately had some very sensible remarks by Mr. Scudder on country free libraries, saying that "the public library is no more, of necessity, a great and expensive collection of books, than is the school a highly organized, splendidly endowed, and thoroughly equipped institution. A country school, with a teacher who has the teacher's faculty, has the *essentials* of a school; a country library containing the books that make readers and thinkers, has the *essentials* of a library." He desires the establishment of small local libraries of books to be read, and the abandonment of the *ideal* of a great, permanent

collection of books. It might be as simple a matter to have a district library as to have a district school; and if, as every district school is part of a system, every little library were also part of a well-ordered system, then we might have not only our great libraries in the city, our highly organized city schools, our colleges and their libraries; but also a great network of small lending libraries, connected with our country schools, and so ordered that there should be an economical use of the same material, and each library should be not a solitary and independent collection, but one that is part of a general system.

L'Intermédiaire des Chercheurs (French *Notes and Queries*), which came to a stop in 1870, is attempting to resume operations by sending to its subscribers the number of August 10, 1870, as it was left at the time. It advertises, on its fourth page, a new periodical of the same kind, which is to bear the formidable name of *Myriobiblion*.

THE University Library of Strasburg has increased 80,000 volumes during the past year, and now numbers about 300,000 volumes in all. Half of these additions have been procured by purchase, the rest through public and private donations.

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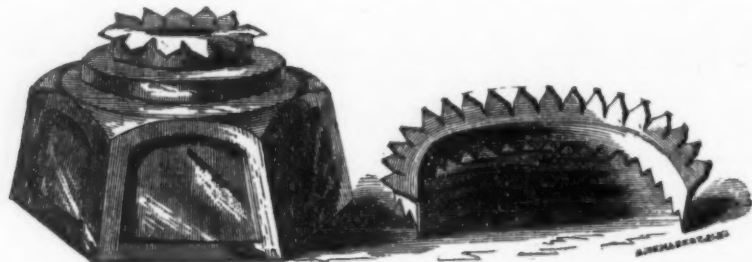
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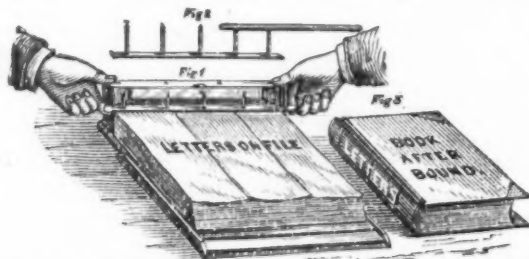
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